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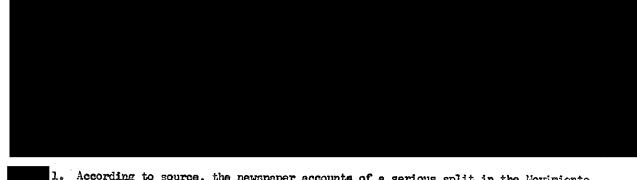
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According to source, the newspaper accounts of a serious split in the Movimiento Nacionalista Revolucionario (MIR) were inspired by the Party Steelf to mislead 25X1X6 the Government. The reported split between the followers of Alberto Taborga and those of Victor Paz Estenssoro does not exist. Comment. It has been reported in the La Paz press that the schism in the MRR had resulted in Paz Estenssoro's group expelling Taborga from the Party.) 25X1X6 25X1A6a

- 2. Luis Penaloza, who escaped police oustody and returned to La Faz, was again apprehended, and it is believed that he has been deported to Chile.
- 3. These additional numbers of the HNR have been arrested and imprisoned at Pelechuco, north of Lake Titicaca: Jaime San Martin, Juan Aguilar, and Telmo Siles. The reason for their detention was their participation in the riots in the National Congress. The Cochabamba newspaperman, Gaston Mendizabal Santa Cruz, has been released from Guayamerin.
- 4. Augusto Cuadros Sanchez remains at large.

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